

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

NATURAL CALAMITIES – Nellore District – Damages to salt crop and salt lands due to unexpected heavy rains during the month of February, 2008 covering extend of damage – Financial Assistance – Sanctioned - Orders – Issued.

REVENUE [D.M.1] DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT. NO. 227

DATED: 14-11-2008

Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.48, Revenue (DM.I) Department, dt.9.5.2008.
2. From the District Collector, Nellore, Lr.No.Rc.D3/2300/2008, dt.6.6.2008.

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ORDER:

In the G.O.1st read above Government has sanctioned an amount of Rs.71,71,800/- for payment to the affected salt farmers in Prakasam, Srikakulam, Vizianagaram and Visakhapatnam districts @ Rs.600/- per acre keeping in view the report of Assistant Salt Commissioner, Kakinada.

2. In the reference 2nd read above the District Collector, Nellore has reported that damages occurred to the salt lands due to un-seasonal rains in February, 2008 in Nellore district. The salt crop damaged in 1442.37 acres belongs to 1589 small and marginal farmers. Therefore, he has requested to sanction relief to the small and marginal salt ryots.

3. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby decide and accord sanction for payment of relief of Rs.8,65,422/- (Rupees eight lakhs sixty five thousand four hundred and twenty two only) to the affected small and marginal salt ryots in Nellore district @ Rs.600/- per acre whose salt crop was damaged due to un-seasonal rains in the month of February, 2008.

4. The Expenditure sanctioned in Para (3) above shall be debited to the following Head of Account:

“MJH 2245	:	Relief on Account of Natural Calamities
SMJH 02	:	Floods, Cyclones etc.
MH 120	:	Assistance to owners of salt works
SH 04	:	Assistance to owners of salt works
310	:	Grants-in-Aid
312	:	Other grants-in-Aid

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5. The District Collector, Nellore shall arrange to disburse the amount to the beneficiaries in a transparent manner.

6. The expenditure in Para (3) above is sanctioned pending provision of funds by supplementary grants and in relaxation of Treasury Control Order and Quarterly Regulation Order for the financial year 2008-09. The utilization certificates should be furnished duly verified by the Audit Authorities to Revenue (D.M.-Accounts-II) Department.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Fin (Exp. Rev) Department vide their U.O.No.10672/PFS.R&E/2008, dt.21.10.2008.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DINESH KUMAR
COMMISSIONER FOR DISASTER MANAGEMENT
& E.O. PRL. SECRETARY TO GOVT.

To
The District Collector, Nellore.

Copy to:

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad
The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad
The Director of State Audit, AP., Hyderabad
The Assistant Salt Commissioner, Kakinada, East Godavari District
The Assistant Salt Commissioner, Chennai, Tamilnadu State.
The General Manager, District Industries Centre, Nellore
The Finance (R&E) Department
The P.S. to Prl. Secretary to Chief Minister
The P.S to Minister for Revenue
The P.S to Chief Secretary to Govt.
The Accounts Officer, Revenue (D.M) Department (2 copies)
The P.S to Commissioner for Disaster Management,
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